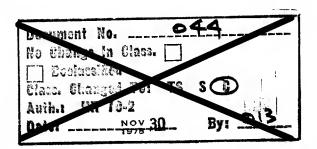TOP SECRET

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Dear

I refer to your letter of 13 June 1955 and my letter of 15 June 1955, concerning the May communications research and development meetings, which crossed in transit.

I have noted the amendments suggested by you in paragraph VI of the recorded agreements reached during the meetings. The first change is acceptable. I believe that the further alternatives would be more effective if a provision were made for the designation, in general, of the area in which it is intended to use the equipment. I have therefore inserted this additional point and the paragraph in question would then read as follows:

"Information concerning items of equipment which are neither in production nor available for issue, will be withheld from general release outside the technical staffs of the two organizations, except in so far as it may be necessary to consult with the operational staffs during research and development stages. Items of equipment developed by one organization which are in production, will not be issued operationally by the other without prior notification and agreement. Such notification will intimate the desire to bring the equipment in question into use, and in general terms, the nature and location of the operation, without disclosing the operational details. Agreement to use equipment operationally may, however, be given during the development period."

My suggested additions have been underlined for your convenience. All other paragraphs remain as originally written.

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If you agree with the paragraph as quoted above, action can be taken within both organizations to amend all copies of the statement of agreements.

Yours sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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